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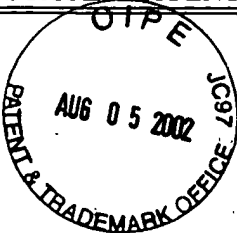
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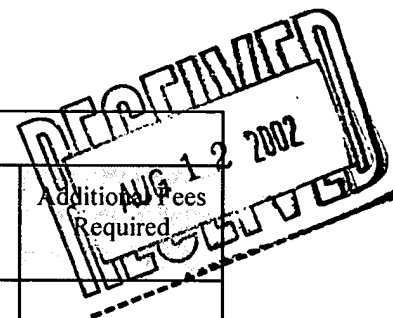
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We are transmitting the following documents along with this Transmittal Sheet (which is submitted in triplicate):

- ☒ An itemized return postcard.
- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for __ month(s) and a check in the amount of \$__ for the required fee.
- ☒ A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs.); a 1449 form (1 pg); 1 translation of a previously submitted reference, as well as 1 copy of the previously submitted reference.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$__, for __.
- ☐ A certified copy of a __ application, Serial No. __, filed ____, the right of priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☐ Other:
- ☐ Amendment:
- ☐ No Additional fee is required. ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown:

| Fee Calculation for Claims Pending After Amendment | | | | | |
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| | Pending Claims after Amendment (1) | Claims Paid for Earlier (2) | Number of Additional Claims (1-2) | Cost per Additional Claim | Additional Fees Required |
| Total Claims | | | | x \$18 = | |
| Independent Claims | | | | x \$84 = | |
| One or More New Multiple Dependent Claims Presented? If Yes, Add \$280 Here. → | | | | | |
| Total Additional Claim Fees Required | | | | | |



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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper(s), as described hereinabove, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 2327, Arlington, VA 22202, on this 31 day of July, 2002.

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